



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 423

February Session, 2006

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**AN ACT REQUIRING A STUDY OF HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE
FOR PERSONS WITH DIABETES.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) (a) Not later than July 1, 2006, the
2 chairpersons of the joint standing committee of the General Assembly
3 having cognizance of matters relating to insurance shall convene a
4 working group to conduct a study of benefits required to be provided
5 for persons with diabetes pursuant to the provisions of sections 38a-
6 492d and 38a-518d of the general statutes. Such study shall include an
7 analysis of the coinsurance provision with respect to coverage of
8 medically necessary equipment, including, but not limited to, insulin
9 pumps.

10 (b) The working group shall consist of (1) the Insurance
11 Commissioner, (2) the chairpersons of the joint standing committee of
12 the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
13 insurance, and (3) not more than eight members appointed by said
14 chairpersons. Said chairpersons shall chair the working group.

15 (c) Not later than January 1, 2007, the working group shall submit a
16 report on its findings to the joint standing committee of the General
17 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to insurance, in
18 accordance with section 11-4a of the general statutes.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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